





**Heart-Warmers.**

My neighbor has sent me the daintiest little tray, with a new kind of cake on her best hand-painted plate covered with her best hand-drawn napkin. There is a bunch of roses on the tray and a tiny "cocked-hat" note; and I shall eat the cake and put the roses in my belt and the note in my pocket and have a warm feeling in my heart all day.

There is another neighbor who has prettier plates and napkins, and makes delicious cake, but she never thinks to send me any. I suppose it is because she knows that I like good things myself, and she thinks I do not care. But I do. That "sunshine-cake" tasted better than anything I know how to make, and the flowers sweeter than any of those which grow in my own "patio," and, though I knew she loved me, it made the happy tears come to have her "say it again."

I wonder why we don't often say that we love one another—we are staid, middle-aged people, I mean. Of course, we speak from the heart's depths in the great crisis of life, when we first find we love each other, or when some sickness or sorrow comes, but these times are often very far apart, and every day love is so sweet and satisfying. What an unspeakable comfort it is when a friend drops in at the close of a busy day who sees that you are all tired out, and that your burned finger, which you have not had time to tie up, is aching miserably, and that the world is a waste! You know she wont tell you you weren't "self-reliant" for a few minutes, and you do enjoy having her tuck you up on the lounge for a little rest, while she smooths out the wrinkle with tender touch, and ties up your finger, and "kisses the place to make it well." Some people think that only babies like these things, but big ones often need them far more. —Selected.

**DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP OF PEPSIN CURES INDIGESTION.**

Ringling Bros.' great circus is this season especially notable for the large number of equestrian stars embodied in its roster of famous riders. Among them are Win. De Mott, Mike Rooney, Willie Cook, Elena Ryland, Ross Dockrill, Marlon Levee, and a score of others almost equally famous. No circus in the world presents half so many riders, and none who have such world-wide reputations.

The Blue Grass Market Co. will be at your house every morning. You can see what you buy, because we take our goods with us. Listen for the bugle. HOLLY & BROOKS.

**Circuit Court.**

The petit jury is composed of the following gentlemen: Thomas Thomas, C. S. B. Pease, Peter Lee, Robert Fletcher, Wm. Morton, Caswell Prentiss, R. J. Hunt, Thos. Douglas, Henry Parrish, J. D. Harper, Bruce Wilton, J. T. Woodford, J. H. Oldham, J. S. Herriott, Sam Martin, E. R. Wilburn, John T. Barry, W. C. Thompson, J. W. Mason, H. K. Greene, Henry Williams, J. E. Arnold, Henry, Thiford Caywood and Peter Kelly.

Rev. D. Clay Lilly, formerly pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church in this city had the misfortune to have his home together with every thing in it burned on Monday night, March 29. He lives at Tuscaloosa, Ala. Mrs. Lilly's sister, Miss Gertrude, daughter of Dr. E. O. Guerard, of Wilmore, Ky., was on a visit and came near being burned to death.

**I. O. O. P.**

Will there be an interstate meeting of Odd Fellows at Mayfield, April 26. An arch \$4 feet wide and 10 feet high has been erected on Broadway.

About 20,000 infantry and cavalry of the U. S. army are now being transferred to New Orleans, Mobile, Tampa and Chickamauga, preparatory for war. This is expected to be accomplished by Wednesday night.

Mr. Ed. Haley, the insurance agent, while out riding his wheel on last Friday afternoon, let the silent steed get beyond his control and as a result is suffering from a broken collar bone.

No extra charge for collar bands when you send to Bourbon Steam Laundry. W. J. Peters, Agt.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartie, 10c or \$1. G. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

**LOOKS WARLIKE.**  
**Senate Favors Recognition of the Republic of Cuba.**

Joint resolution for the recognition of the independence of the people and republic of Cuba, demanding that the government of Spain relinquish its authority and government in the island of Cuba and to withdraw its land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters, and directing the President of the United States to use the land and naval forces of the United States to carry these resolutions into effect.

Whereas, the abhorrent conditions which have existed for more than three years in the island of Cuba, so near our own borders, have shocked the moral sense of the people of the United States, have been a disgrace to Christian civilization, culminating as they have in the destruction of a United States battleship, with 260 of its officers and crew, while on a friendly visit to the harbor of Havana, and can no longer be endured, as has been set forth by the President of the United States in his message to Congress of April 11, 1898, upon which the action of Congress was invited; therefore,

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled:

First.—That the people of the Island of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent, and that the government of the United States hereby recognizes the republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that island.

Second.—That it is the duty of the United States to demand, and the government of the United States does hereby demand, that the government of Spain at once relinquish its authority and government in the Island of Cuba and withdraw its land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters.

Third.—That the president of the United States be, and he hereby is, directed and empowered to use the entire land and naval forces of the United States and to call into the actual service of the United States the militia of the several states to such extent as may be necessary to carry these resolutions into effect.

Fourth.—That the United States hereby disclaim any disposition or intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction, or control over said Island, except for the pacification thereof, and assert its determination, when that is accomplished, to leave the government and control of the Island to its people.

The above was adopted by the United States Senate on Saturday night by a vote of 67 to 21. If the House will concur in these resolutions the matter then goes to the President. A strong fight will be made against these resolutions by the Administration.

SPROUT SPRINGS:

**CORRESPONDENCE.****LEVEE.**

Farmers are considerably behind with spring work.

T. W. Barrow has rented his Cahill property to Dink King for \$6 per month. Mr. King will start an artificial stone factory.

Mrs. Albert Clay and daughter, Mary, of Indian Fields, visited the family of T. W. Barrow one day last week.

Harve Knox has bought the interest of his brother, Raymond, in the mercantile business and has taken possession.

Prof. Williamian, of Indian Fields, has begun a very successful school at Kiddville.

**HOWARD'S MILL.**

Farmers are very much behind with their work on account of rain.

Miss Ruth Henry is visiting in Lexington.

Mosier, Trav. Wells and John Roberts made a flying visit to this place Friday.

Mr. Crit Bailey left Thursday for Virginia: He will make that State his future.

The grand jury seems to have a special attraction for the Howard's Mill boys. Nearly all of our lads have been up to call on them.

Mr. Frank Reaser closed a very successful school at the Bailey school house last Monday.

**LITTLE ROCK.**

Ike T. Crouch, who has been seriously sick, is, we are glad to say, improving.

Tobacco plants are doing well.

J. E. Boardman bought of W. L. Bramblett and R. P. Hopkins seven heifers, average about 1000 pounds at 4c.

On Thursday evening at the country home of W. F. Bryan his son, Master James Carroll, entertained twelve of his boy schoolmates in honor of his 10th birthday. The time was very delightfully spent with games and recreations. An elegant supper was served. All of these delights were shared by a few of the old folks including J. E. Boardman.

**SPROUT SPRINGS:**

Dave Snowdon is recovering from an attack of fever.

The dirt roads are in very bad condition; the mud is very deep.

Feed is plentiful; corn worth \$2.00 per barrel; cattle scarce and very high.

Thomas Crow was last Thursday married to Miss Hethie Crow, daughter of Milt Crow.

One of the heaviest peach blooms for many years in this section, but all killed by recent freeze.

If the President is as slow about fighting as he is about making up his mind, it will be a slow fight.

We have been listening for the whistle of the Black Diamond railroad, but have not heard it yet.

John O. Daniel sold that part of his farm lying south of the county road to Mr. James Welch, of Stanton, for \$1,000. Surely that was cheap.

Uncle Nath Crow, who lost his hearing two years ago, is having a great deal of trouble with pains in his ears; he has an ulcer on his tongue and his general health is greatly impaired, and is not expected to live but a short time.

John Gravett and the Snowden brothers caught two old red foxes last week. Spout Springs is the best place on earth to run foxes. We have some professional hunters, and they never fail to have a good race. The country is open, and when you go hunting all you have to do is to get on some high point and build you a fire and the dogs will run half the night and hardly ever get out of hearing.

**War! War!**

At the Court House, Tuesday eve, April 19, at 8 o'clock, Dr. W. B. Crumpton, will deliver his famous lecture "How a Boy Got Through the Lines to the Confederacy," incidentally touching the Cuban question. The lecture features will be fun, and is brimful of instruction. It is for the benefit of the B. Y. P. U., admission ten cents.

**Old Somerset's Treat.**

The enterlaid menu provided for the public by the ladies of Somerset church last Friday evening was a brilliant success. The arrangements in all their details reflected credit on the fair managers. An innovation that seemed to evoke universal applause was the introduction of the speaker by a lady. The good taste and sound judgment of the ladies were again evinced in the choice of Mrs. Jake Henry to discharge this high duty. The beautiful and high thoughts of Mrs. Henry, clothed in her graceful and elegant dictation, studded the entertainment on a very high plane from which it never for an instant descended. The lecture of Pre-Cave on the unique and rounded character of Robert E. Lee was worthy of its subject. A strange, sweet spell fell upon the audience as this master character was rebuked before them under the masterful hand of the President of Kentucky University. Concerning the lecture itself it is unnecessary now to say more, the citizens of Mt. Sterling will soon have an opportunity to hear for themselves, after which we hope to give a more adequate notice for the benefit of our readers.

We call attention to the advertisement of J. Chas. McCullough, Cincinnati, O., who sells all kinds of seeds: floureds, bulbs, garden seeds, field seeds. Send for price list, 39-1

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartie, 10c or \$1. G. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Hall Rates to Lexington.

Queen & Crescent vom May 4th to 7th, good to return until May 10th, from all points in Kentucky. The rates account meetings of the Kentucky State Equestrian League and the Kentucky and West Virginia Grand Council Commercial Travelers. Ask Agents for information.

W. C. RINEHORN, 29-3  
G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children.

Chas. H. Fletcher  
is on  
every  
wrap.

Seed Sweet Potatoes.

A good assortment of sweet potatoes can be found at A. Baum & Son's, 39-21.

W. J. Peters calls for and delivers laundry, Office with Harris & Strossman, No. 5, Court street.

**For Sale.**

A nice new cottage rented for one year to a good tenant realizing about 100 per cent. on investments.

39-21 CHAS. REIS, Saddler.

Send your orders for White Ash coal to

MT. STERLING COMMISSION CO.

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NOTICE!

The undersigned takes this method of informing the public that he has taken possession of the MT. STERLING FLORAL CO.'S PLANT and will conduct it so as to merit your patronage.

W. C. RINEHORN, 29-3

NOT RECEIVED NICE LINE OF RUGS.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES—The largest line ever brought to Mt. Sterling, and at the very lowest prices. Come and see our immense stock and be convinced. Prices from two yards to four and upwards.

DRESS GOODS—Our line of Spring Novelties are beauties.

HERE IS A BARGAIN—Our line of 25c Spring Novelties are beauties. We are going to give you 8 yards of this goods with everything complete for \$1.95.

NOV. DEPARTMENT—Ladies' Dongles patent tip Slippers, all sizes, \$1.25 for 60c. Ladies' Dongles patent tip Slippers, winter \$1.00, for 50c. See our line of Ladies' Shoes at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Men's good Working Shoes for 75c. Men's Dress Shoes for 90c.

Second Floor of Our Immense Store.

WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT—This department is a room of beauty, 500 different patterns to select from, and prices never before offered in Mt. Sterling. Come and see and be convinced.

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT—A nice line of Lace Curtains from 39c pair up to \$7.00. Window Shades, spring rollers, 3c to 25 cents.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT—This department was never as large as it now is, and comprises the latest and nobbiest styles. Miss up-plate Suits worth \$5.00 for \$2.98. Boys' Suits, sizes 12 to 18 years, for \$2.48. Children's Knee Pauls worth \$1.50 for 75c. Come and get our prices on Clothing, and you will say, how can you sell them so cheap?

SHIRT DEPARTMENT—Men's nice Laundry Shirts with collar 10c. Men's Colored Bowls Shirts with white bodies 35c. Men's good heavy Soft Shirts worth 50c for 23c.

TRUNK DEPARTMENT—We now carry a large line of nice Trunks, and defy competition.

With Every \$20 Purchase We Give You an Elegant Piece of Silverwear.

"BEE HIVE STORE,"

Four Doors above A. Baum's Grocery.

E. Main St., Mt. Sterling, Ky.

S. NATHAN, Proprietor.

JOE NATHAN, Manager.



## A Problem.

The scholars are interested in the solution of the following problem, which we submit to our readers and ask a solution to be mailed us on postcard for publication. We desire an answer from every one who reads:

What will 10 yards of velvet cost at \$1 per yard.

Send solution to Mt. STERLING ADVOCATE.

The following solutions to the above problem have been received:

One yard cost one dollar and one thousandth of a dollar, ten yards will cost ten times as much.

\$1.001

10

\$10.010

Point off as many places in the product as you have in both multiplier and multiplicand.

FRANK WILKERSON,  
Pewee Valley, Ky.

Side View, Ky., Feb. 15, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

Sir:—Seeing this problem for solution in your paper, I beg to submit the following solution of same:

Problem—What will 10 yards of velvet cost at \$1 and 1.001 per yard.

According to the statement of problem I see no other possible answer than \$10 and 10.01.

Yours Respectfully,  
SALLIE E. SINGLETON.

Howard's Mill, Ky., Feb. 24, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

Seeing your problem in the ADVOCATE, I see no possible answer but 10.010.

Yours truly,

E. G. W.

Clay City, Ky., Feb. 27, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

As I am a reader of your paper I will give you an answer to the above stated problem.

Answer—\$10.010.

Mrs. JUDITH B. WILLIS,

Editor ADVOCATE:  
Sir—I send solution to problem which is \$10.010.

Yours truly,

PHILIP MCKEE,

104 Sigel St., Chicago, Ill., March 1898.

Side View, Ky., Feb. 21, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

Seeing a problem in your paper I see no possible answer than \$10.0100.

Yours Respectfully,

JENNIE M. WELCH.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 21, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer: Ten yards of velvet would cost \$10.10.

Very Respectfully,

CHESTER THOMPSON.

Winchester, Ky., March 16, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

Mr. T. G. Stunt called my attention to the arithmetic problem published in your paper, the answer to which is \$10.010.

D. J. PENDLETON

in your paper this problem can only see that it is ten times amount and the figures must be \$10.010.

J. THOMPSON.

Deville, Ky., Mar. 18, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:—The following was printed in your paper: Ten yards of velvet would cost \$10.10.

Respectfully,

MATTIE BLOUNT.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 25, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

In your paper a problem and its solution to the following answer, I send you the following answer:

Yours truly,

FRANK HOPKINS.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 23, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:—Ten yards of velvet as stated in problem per yard, old cost \$11.00.

Respectfully,

M. R. B.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 23, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

For a few days past I have been reading Dr. Pierce's "Fever and Ague" and I have found it very interesting.

Yours truly,

FRANK HOPKINS.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 23, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:

For a few days past I have been reading Dr. Pierce's "Fever and Ague" and I have found it very interesting.

Yours truly,

FRANK HOPKINS.

send the following answer—\$11.00.  
Respectfully,

BASSE D. TURLEY.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 28, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer: \$10.10.

Yours truly,

LARRY THOMPSON.

I see a little problem in your paper the answer to which I believe is \$10.001.

J. H. THOMPSON.

Jeffersonville, Ky., Mar. 30, 1898.  
Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem which I see in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.01.

R. S. STOKLEY.

Sage, Ky., March 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—Noticing your problem in the paper, will say the answer must be \$10.010.1.

Yours truly,

Eva Wills.

Stepstone, Ky., March 29, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—To the problem published in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.01.

Yours respectfully,

V. H. Montjoy.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mar. 30, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—I do not think the problem you published in recent numbers of the ADVOCATE is properly stated. The numerator of a decimal is the number it expresses, disregarding the decimal point; it should not be written as a common fraction, as it cannot be a decimal and common fraction both in one. Not being correctly stated, it cannot be correctly worked. Respectfully,

Mrs. G. N. Cox.

Gypsy, Ky., March 28, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—I send the following solution to your problem, which is ten dollars and one cent.

E. L. Whitaker.

Middlesboro, Ky., Mar. 30, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—Noticing the velvet problem in the ADVOCATE I tried my hand on it and send the following solution: Ten thousand and ten dollars (\$10.010).

Yours truly,

Robt. T. Benton.

Reynoldsburg, Ky., Mar. 29, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—Seeing the problem in your paper I send the following answer—\$10.010.

Yours truly,

J. B. Tipton.

Prussia's Rich Folk.

Besides the income-tax, there is in Prussia, though not in the rest of Germany, a tax on capital, as upon land and household property. All fortunes under £300 are exempt from taxation. The Minister of Finance has just published the results of this "Capital-tax" for 1897, and these reflect a picture of the financial condition of the well-to-do population of Prussia, exclusive of small capitalists. The aggregate wealth of those liable to taxation amounted to £3,000,000,000, an increase upon 1896 of more than £27,000,000. Of this sum £2,000,000,000 goes to the credit of the towns, the other £1,000,000,000 to that of the country. Only 5,440 taxpayers possess a fortune of £5,000. Floating capital totalled £1,100,000,000 and landed property, £1,200,000,000. Of those who possess over £50,000,000 one thousand two hundred reside in Berlin.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Everybody Says No.

Oriankany, Va., March 28, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—My answer to your problem is \$10.010.

Respectfully,

R. H. Haydon.

Frozen Creek, Ky., April 4, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—The following is my answer to the problem now published in your paper—\$10.10.01.

Respectfully,

Mrs. Geo. Hopkins.

Dan, Ky., March 30, 1898.

Editor ADVOCATE:—As I am a reader of your paper I will give you an answer to the above stated problem,

It is the primary duty of every woman to keep her face the lilies and roses of health. It is her first obligation to her marital missions to please, and one of the first attractions of her sex. A woman is a complexion that shows the bloom of health.

No matter how beautiful a woman may be, she will not be attractive if she suffers from weakness and disease or that organism that is the threshold of human life.

She will lose her attractiveness if she becomes a gaunt and emaciated invalid.

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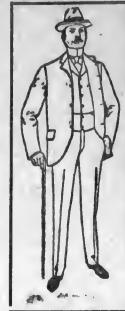
# \*The Power of Money\*



Is Fully Shown in Our Great \$5 and \$7 SUITS!

And we can say without fear of contradiction that such values we never before offered in this town at the prices.

Long months ago, before you had began to think of Spring Clothes, we made up our minds to give the people of this section the best \$5 and \$7 Suits obtainable, and set out to search the markets, as we would be satisfied with nothing short of



## Pure Wool, Fast Color and Good Make!

We believe, if you have received our BOOK OF SAMPLES, or if you will examine the Suits at our store, you will agree that our cash has worked wonders in the purchase of these goods. Over 50 STYLES to pick from, Sacks and Frocks, to fit any man, and YOUR MONEY BACK IF THEY FAIL TO PLEASE.

### \$5 Suits.

Five good American Dollars will buy a good All-Wool Suit, well made and trimmed, guaranteed fast color, at this store.

More here for money than any house in this town, or your money back.

### Hats.

Stetson's and Hopkins' Stiff, Soft and Straw Hats now on sale.

The Walsh Special, the newest, nobbiest and most comfortable Alpine in the market; 3 colors, pearl, otter and black. See them. All kinds of Hats here.

### Shoes.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes in every conceivable shape and color, and at prices 25 per cent. lower than regular shoe stores.

See our line of shoes. Only the best makes handled here.

### Mothers,

Come and look at our Suits for little fellows; the prettiest line you ever saw; such goods were never handled by any other store in this town. A look will convince you where to buy. Base-ball outfit with every suit.

### \$7 Suits.

Twenty-five styles of \$7 suits, in plaids, checks, stripe, blacks, greys and browns, in hard and soft woven materials. These goods never sold for less than \$10, but we made up our minds to give you the best \$7 suit possible. Call and see.

# WALSH \* BROTHERS, MT. STERLING, KY.

### APRIL COURT DAY.

There was about 1200 cattle on the market. The quality was fair with some few young cattle for sale. The market was very dull. There was fewer sales made by noon than we have known in several years. Cattle have been getting a little higher each court-day for several months and have gotten so high that buyers have called a halt, and refused to take any more cattle at the prices. It is a wise action as farmers were buying stock at such prices that they would hardly realize the purchase price after grazing them through the summer. Sales of steers at from 4 to 5c; heifers at from 3 to 4c; cows at from 2 to 3c; Ewes and lambs at \$4.85 per head for ewes, lambs thrown; no hogs on market. About the usual crowd in attendance, all surrounding counties being represented by buyers. No foreign buyers present. The usual stockmen had cattle here for sale but were a little disappointed in the slow sales.

#### SALE.

Albert Skelmore, of Bourbon county, bought thirty head of 700-lb steers at \$33; they were a mixed lot.

Jo Sullivan bought nine 600-lb heifers of John Rose at \$23.50 per head.

Sam Keeton sold two steer calves to Hayden Salter at \$14.

Tipton and McKinney sold to Elmer Cheneau, of Madison county, thirty-one 500-lb steers at \$25.

Frank Bedford, of Bourbon county, bought twenty-nine light heifers of Sam Sudduth at \$14.

Davis Orear bought sixty-six ewes with sixty-six lambs thrown in at \$4.87 per head.

Hilton and Murphy sold twenty-six light steers at \$24. per head.

Brock and Hallback, of Clark county, bought about three hundred hogs in the county weight about 175-lb at \$3.25 to \$3.30.

#### HORSES AND MULES.

Mule market was about as usual—not a great many on the market. Carothers & Beard bought some aged

mares at from \$75 to \$100. The horse market was dull, very few sales being made.

#### Horse Show.

April Court Day is always the time for show of stallions. There was not a large number on exhibition yesterday but what was here were first-class. The saddle stallions were in prominence as only one trotter was exhibited and that was Clay 2:25, the nephew son of Electromine. The low prices of horses in the year past have caused the ordinary stallions of the country to disappear and only good ones are left. The interest displayed shows that good horses are still appreciated and from now on there will be an improvement in horse raising.

The following horses were exhibited yesterday:

James R. Magown had Clay, 2:25, brown stallion by Electromine. Clay is size of Russie Clay 2:12½, Clayone 2:12½ and twenty-five others in the list. Clay is the best trotting stallion that has ever made a season in the county, and his fee is very low.

Owners of trotting mares will make no mistake in sending to this horse.

John S. Wyatt, Jr., had that premium combined stallion Bourbon Chief.

He is a fine looker and a good breeder. Mr. Wyatt also had the fancy saddle stallion, Royal. These stallions will make the season near the city.

John T. Woodford, one of the foremost saddle horse breeders of the country, had his noted stallion, Forest Denmark, one of the handsomest horses in Kentucky. Also Cripple, the great sire of saddle horses.

Ragan & Wilson had their handsome combined stallion, Carlisle. He is a fine looker, and a good breeder.

Clarence Muir had his grand looking saddle stallion, Washington, he attracted much attention.

G. W. Hainline had his saddle stallion, Capt. Walker. He is a good saddler and a fine breeder.

J. B. Gay had his saddle stallion

Klug William 2nd. A handsome horse.

W. E. Stillwell had his fine looking saddle stallion Pat Washington by Gen. Hancock.

J. A. Eubank has this season the combined stallion Victor L. son of Gen. Hancock.

We would like to have given an extended notice of the stallions on exhibition but our space will not permit.

#### CASTORIA.

*Charl. Fletcher*  
Trotter  
Mare  
Lame  
Dame  
Filly  
Yearling  
Wingate

Low Rates Queen and Crescent Route.

Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge of Tennessee—Nashville, Tenn., May 9, 1898.

Knights of St. John, Twentieth Annual Convention — Detroit, Mich., June 28 to July 1.

Meeting Kentucky State Medical Association—Maysville, Ky., May 11, 12 and 13, and Meeting Knights Templars, Mayville, Ky., week of May 16. Agents in Kentucky only will sell tickets.

Travellers' Protective Association, Tennessee Division—Jackson, Tenn., April 27-29. Agents in Tennessee only will sell.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society M. E. Church, South—Chattanooga, Tenn., April 23-25. Agents in Tennessee only will sell.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by J. B. Tipton.

#### A Preacher Wants to Fight.

At Glasgow, Ky., a company of fifty-one has been organized preparators for war. If their services should be needed, Rev. F. G. Bailey, pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church at Glasgow, has been chosen as captain. There is a difference among Presbyterian preachers. Some preach but do not want to fight, others preach and want to fight.

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Richard, son of J. G. wife, who is with his mother relatives in Fayette county, a pony Friday and bro-

am.

Wright's Colic, Tonic, Liver and kidneys, cur-

and sick headache. 25c.

### JUST RECEIVED SPRING STOCK!

Having received my Spring Stock of Carpets, Mattings, Rugs and Linoleums, I now quote your prices: Best 10 Wire Tapestry Brussels, 70c; good Brussels, 55c; Mattings from 12-1c to 40c; Rugs very low. A complete stock of these goods.

#### My two Large Roofs are Loaded with Bargains

In Bed Room Suits, Side Boards, Divans, Bed Lounges, Fancy and Plain Chairs, Book Cases, Hat Racks, Tables, and everything kept in a first-class, up-to-date Furniture and Carpet House. I will not be undersold.

#### UNDERTAKING.

Having purchased the handsome Funeral Car in Eastern Kentucky, and keeping a full line of Casket Robes, and everything in this line, I am ready to wait on the trade, night or day, and ask a continuance of your patronage. **Guaranteed satisfaction.**

#### W. A. SUTTON,

Fizer Bu'l'g, opp. Court-House,  
Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

#### Collector's Sale For Taxes.

I will on Monday, the 16th day of May 1898, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m. at the Court house door in Mt. Sterling, Ky., (being County Court day) expose for public sale to highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the following described property (or so much thereof as will be necessary) to satisfy the Taxes due public graded school, district No. 1, Mt. Sterling, Ky., to wit: Ann E. Mitchell, Southern portion of lot No. 22, with frontage and backage of 50 feet, bounded on west by Queen Street, north by remainder of lot No. 22, east by lot No. 26 and south by Mitchell Ave. For years 1894, '95 '96, '\$7.94.

W. J. Peters ships every Monday and Wednesday and returns laund

Wednesday and Fridays.

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Jas. W. GROVES,  
School Tax Collector,  
April 18, 1898.

Encourage Your Bowels with Cascara.

Candy Catheric, cure constipation forever.

10c. No. 1 G. C. C. I. ill, druggists refund money

#### Send for Price-List of Every Variety

#### SEEDS

#### THAT GROW.

North-West Center, Cincinnati, Ohio.

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

That fairly whisper thoughts of warm days of Summer. Delicate tinted fabrics greet the eye on every side. French, German, English, Scotch, and our own American makes are blended into one bewildering show. Organized joint hands with flimsy, airy batistes, linen novelties with dainty dimples, and Scotchseys take their place in the exhibit by the rich founts of the world's best fountains.

#### Dress Goods for Spring.

If the largest variety to select from at lowest possible prices will win your trade, we are bound to you your Spring Costume. This week's show consists in 1st of

BAYES, GRENADINES,

ETANNEES, FRENCH CHAL-

LIS, SEFTONS, FRENCH

BUD CLOTHS, COVERT

CYSES, etc., etc.

keep good strong linings—the trash that do not pull and stretch, which never use inferior linings, we keep the best.

Mattings, Rugs, Curtains, Linoleum. Correct patterns at old prices. Don't wait too long—prices are going up every day. The stock is all new, the largest we have ever had. We excel in the best patterns of Body Brussels and All-Wool full extra Super Ingraine.

GRUBBS &

HAZELRIGG.

**DEATHS.**

CLARK.  
Judge A. H. Clark, of the Twenty-seventh Judicial District, died last week at his home in Barbourville. He was recently stricken with paralysis.

III  
MILLER,  
Mrs. Maria Miller passed peacefully away at her home in Clark county, on Easter Sunday, April 10th, at half past five o'clock. Had she lived until the 19th of June she would have reached the advanced age of 90 years. She had often said, "I am as a wonder unto many," for being a consistent Christian, a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church for 72 years, she had been blessed with Heaven's greatest gift, health. She was a most remarkable old lady. Her memory of events that transpired seventy or eighty years ago was as fresh as if it were yesterday. Her lovable disposition drew her close to many, as was evidenced by the friends and relatives that visited her during her illness which lasted only two short months. Her whole life was filled with noble deeds. A woman of the purest type she was always cheerful and happy. This grand woman enters into the beyond, but the memory of her beautiful life will not fade from those she leaves behind. Deceased was the grandmother of Mrs. John W. Lockridge and Jas. N. Anderson, of this county, who attended her funeral and burial which took place in Winchester last Tuesday,

III  
MCCLURE.

After a sickness of 8 days with pneumonia, Mr. Wm. McClure, a highly respected citizen living near the Grand Church in Bath county, ceased from earthly toil on Friday morning, April 15, 1898. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. A. J. Arrelon on Sunday afternoon. He was buried at Mt. Olivet cemetery. William McClure was born Sept. 29th, 1820. Was married twice. First to Emily Spratt who died only a few years and afterwards Lavinia Spratt who passed away thirteen years ago. He was of a family of nine children of whom four brothers survived him. He was the father of six children, all sons, two of whom are left to mourn his loss. Joshua, of Indiana and Samuel of this county. He was a very patient sufferer, and was beloved by all who knew him.

III  
CONNER.

On Sunday morning, April 17, 1898, at his home at Stepstone, Mr. Joseph Conner, aged about 70 years, died after a short sickness, and was buried on Monday morning. He leaves three sons, William, Buck and Fleming and a daughter, Mrs. Allington.

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BURGESS.

Mrs. Henry Burgess, of Tilton, sister of Mrs. J. W. Wilson, of Olympia, to whose sickness we recently referred is dead.

WALL.

Death entered the home of Dr. A. H. Wall, Maysville, Ky., on last Saturday morning, April 16, and removed from earth to heaven the spirit of his dear wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Wall who was in her eighty-first year; also the mother of Judge Garrett Wall and Mrs. E. C. Dinsmore, Maysville, and Mrs. Lewis Apperson, this city, all of whom including her husband was at her bedside when the link was broken. She was sick two weeks. Funeral was preceded Monday morning. Judge Apperson went down Monday morning. The writer knew Mrs. Wall well and a more lovely character it had never been. His pleasure to meet. A halo of sweetness shone about her and one impression was that of goodness. Mrs. Wall was a Christian, not by name only, but in life, and the same sweet life which she learned from the word of God she imparted to her children. With four score years and one, this beloved life ended on earth to be made brighter in the beyond, and those left in sadness on account of the absence of wife and mother can meet her in that home prepared for His own.

Ringling Bros.' great canvas pavilions cover more than eight acres, and constitute a veritable city of tents. The mammoth hippodrome amphitheatre is the largest ever constructed and is absolutely impervious of rain.

**PERSONAL.**

R. S. Scoobe, of Winchester, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. James Hall, of Clay City, was in the city Sunday.

Miss Margaret Kelly has returned from a visit to Florida.

Prof Sam Greene, of Lyndon spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Di Nelli, of Winchester, are with their aunt Mrs. J. M. Ida.

Harry Biggers and family, of Spencer moved last week to Mexico, Mo.

Misses Anna and Sallie Johnson are visiting Miss Alexander, of Paris.

B. P. Chenault and family, of Frankfort were visiting here last week.

Mrs. Jno. McCormick, daughter and Miss Jessie Punch are visiting in Lexington.

Peter Greenwade is in Louisville to accompany home his wife who is now cured.

Wm. Thompson and George Hardman, of Clark county, were in the city yesterday.

Hon. James H. Williams, of Frenchburg was in the city last week on legal business.

Mrs. John S. Williams last week visited her daughter Mrs. R. Stoner in Bourbon county.

William VanAntwerp, Assistant Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Louisville, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grubbs on Saturday went to spend Sunday with their grandfather, Mr. John Durham.

Mrs. Robert Nunneley, of Louisville is visiting the family of her brother-in-law, W. R. Nunneley.

C. S. Templeman, of Moorefield, representing the Illinois Home Insurance Co., was in the city on Monday.

Mrs. M. S. Tyler returned Saturday from a visit to Midway, Frankfort, and Lyndon where her son Phelps is attending school.

S. M. Burnard, of Louisville, and J. W. Harris of Ashland are here to organize a Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen.

Thomas Wilson, of Kentucky University, Lexington, accompanied by John Johnson, spent from Friday till Monday with his parents.

Mr. Nease Bennett, of Richmond, spent Sunday with his wife and baby, who are at the home of their mother, Mrs. Laura Thompson.

Dr. David Bush is now located at Oak Hill at the intersection of Lincoln and Van Thompson pikes. He recently graduated at Louisville.

N. H. Trimble on Sunday evening returned from a business trip to Louisville, W. V. Holley and wife, Wm. Strossman and wife are all well.

George W. Anderson and son, James, Mrs. John W. Lockridge and children and Mrs. W. N. Scooe of this county, attended the funeral of Mrs. Maria Miller at Winchester last Friday.

Miss Carroll Reid left this morning for Richmond to attend the Gay-Chenault wedding. She and Miss Margaret Woodford will spend a week with Mrs. Dan Chenault.

Judge L. G. Willis, of Powell county, was in the city Monday. He says that the people of Powell county are patriotic, talk war and when the time comes their quota of fine shots as ever leveled a gun will be heard from.

Wess C. Taubee, brother of Dr. J. B. Taubee has been visiting his father's family at Hazel Green and after spending three days here went to Fort Thomas Saturday where for four months he has been in company of A Sixth Infantry. He has been enlisted for three years, stationed at Fort Brown, Lexington. After reporting for duty at Fort Thomas he expects his regiment to be transferred to Mobile, Ala. His brother Miles K. is in the cavalry at Fort McIntosh, Texas.

It was the pleasure of the junior editor, Bruce Trimble, on Saturday to meet Mr. Foy James, of Charleston, Ill., who was called to Olympia by the sickness and death of his brother-in-law J. W. Cook. We were glad to see him after an absence of three years. He was raised at Hazel Green our old home. On inquiry we were told that his five brothers, John, David, Fayette, Daniel and Rush live in the same county near him, and

that they are doing well; that farmers there work. He and his son and one hand entailed 175 acres last year. Broom corn is extensively raised. He is much pleased with his western home, and has no desire to return to this section. In Illinois he misses the fine turnpikes which abound in Central Kentucky. Plank roads were popular in his country several years ago when the writer was there.

There are many Kentuckians in his country. He subscribed for the ADVOCATE and gave several names to whom samples will be sent.

Mr. R. L. Decker, of the Clay City Chronicle, was in the city Saturday.

Dr. Louis H. Landman, the Cincinnati optician, will be at the Central Hotel Thursday, April 21st.

Mr. J. L. Wells, of North Middleton, will leave for Inserip, Tenn., with his wife Saturday next where Mrs. Wells hopes to be restored to health.

**RELIGIOUS.**

Mr. H. C. Rainey preached at the First Presbyterian church Suada morning.

Rev. G. C. Abbott will preach at Side View next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Rev. J. C. Ely, of Danville, will preach at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

W. F. Cowden will preach at the Christian Church Sunday evening in behalf of the General Christian Missionary work.

There will be a meeting of the congregation of Ascension Parish tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Dr. W. B. Crumpton, of Georgetown, preached a most excellent discourse at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. Pastor Bolin preached in the evening.

The Rev. Francis R. Beattie, D. D., of the Louisville Presbyterian Seminary, will preach at the Southern Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

Preparatory service will be held at the Southern Presbyterian church next Saturday evening at quarter past seven. The Lord's supper will be celebrated Sunday next.

The venerable George S. Savage, who for many years has been agent for the American Bible Society, has tendered his resignation. He has made many visits to our city in the interest of the Society and has devoted a large part of his life to this important work.

**MARRIAGES.**

On April 7th, at Golden, Mo., Dr. D. G. Quinn was married to Miss Julia Mae, daughter of Rufus G. Saylor and wife formerly of this county.

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FARRISH-HARCOURT.

E. G. Farrish and Miss Fannie Harcourt, both of Richmond, were married on Tuesday evening of last week.

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BEATTY-LACKEY.

J. Carroll Beatty and Miss Clara Lackey, both of Stanlford, were married last Tuesday.

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ALEXANDER-HOLT.

On Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Geo. H. Alexander, Senator from Louisville, and Miss Caroline Holt, of Frankfort, were married. The officiating minister was Father Thos. Major, of the church of the Good Shepherd. Supper was served from 7 to 9 o'clock. Judge and Mrs. Holt and daughters were assisted in receiving twenty friends. The Senator and bride have gone to Mobile and New Orleans.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a house hold name for DeWitt's Little Early Risers and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles.

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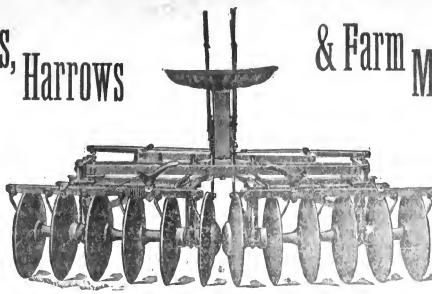
J. B. TURON.

Watch for the Bourbon Steam Laundry wagon and give him your laundry.

W. J. PITKES, Agt.

**Mt. Sterling Commission Co.****For Plows, Harrows & Farm Machinery**

We Carry the Largest Assortment in Mt. Sterling.



Of All Kinds.

**Corn****Planters,****Corn Drills,****Double Shovels,****Cultivators,****Hay Rakes.****Hog Sales.**

F. M. Ewing to John C. Richardson twenty-five head, average 180-lb., at \$35. M. P. Hadden to F. P. Lyman twenty-five head, average 200-lb., at \$340. W. Bird Kidd shipped to Baltimore on Thursday one forty-one, average 155-lb., at \$330 and \$340.

Ladies, don't fail to call upon the old and reliable firm of T. P. Martin & Co. for all late novelties in Millinery.

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Jailer Stebb is improving slowly. W. F. Chestham, one of our compositions is confined to his room.

Mrs. Fred Bassett, who received a severe sprain of the ankle by jumping from a failing porch is very much better.

Castoria.

The signature of Castoria is on every wrapper.

Mr. Henry Wood, a young attorney formerly of this city, now located at Carrollton, Iowa, has entered upon a fine practice. While this is good news to his many friends here, it is nothing short of what they expected. We always rejoice in the success of our patriotic, bold at home and abroad. Mr. Wood is a young man of much talent and with health and application will climb to the top. Keep your eye on him.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fischer, of Zanesville, Ohio, suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Hazel Salve.

J. B. TURON.

For Rent.

The residence of seven rooms with garden and stable on corner of Queen and Main Sts., opposite my residence. J. G. TRIMBLE.

40-1f.

Ringling Bros. have the largest herd of elephants in the world. There are twenty-five of these interesting and intelligent animals, ranging from tiniest of baby elephants to the mammoth, towering above all living creatures, and weighing many tons.

M. L. Youcm, Cameron, Pa., says: "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me, I used one box. It has effected a permanent cure." As permanent for piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal.

J. B. TURON.

Lost.

A boy mare about seven years old 15 hands high one white hind foot, wire cut front foot and collar marked. Strayed from Bowens Creek last Thursday the 14th. Persons giving information leading to recovery will be rewarded.

ED. WILSON.

40-2t.

Beat This One.

Mrs. Bruce Wilson, who lives near this city, set sixty eggs and took off sixty-two chickens.

New Central Hotel

COR. MAIN AND BANK STS.

MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY,

Is now fully prepared to accommodate the traveling public.

Polite Attention,  
Old Fashioned Cuisine,  
Clean Beds and  
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Rates, \$1.50 Per Day

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Lessons In

Battenberg, Homton and Point Laco fifty cents a lesson.

37-3t. Mrs. EDWARD P. SETTLES.

Garden seeds, and a full line of groceries at C. F. Keese's.

White Ash coal will certainly please you; try it. Sold by

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When it comes to white, waits the Bourbon Steam Laundry and can do them all.

W. J. FLEMING, Agt.

Ringling Bros. famous and popular circus represents a cash investment of \$3,700,000. The cost of operating this stupendous enterprise will be over \$1,200,000 this season.

Dr. E. R. Dean, of Judy, has rented of J. W. Wilson his residence property, corner High and Sycamore Sts., and will occupy it soon. We welcome the doctor and family to our city.

The newest things in Millinery and lowest prices at T. P. Martin & Co's.

Wm. Coome, of this county has farmed from J. H. Hopkins, of Little Rock a fine young jack.

Wright's Celery. Tea course constitution, sick headaches. See at druggists.

WE HAVE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY AT A LOW RATE OF INTEREST.

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TO LOAN.

**"IRONING MADE EASY"**



This starch is prepared on scientific principles by men who have had years of practical experience in the manufacture of starches. It is the best starch ever made, it is perfectly white and imparts a beautiful and lasting finish. It is the only starch which can be used for laundry purposes, as it contains no starch, flour, or any other substance injurious to linen and can be used even for a baby powder.

For sale by all wholesale and retail grocers.

**Black Diamond.**

We have recently heard but little of the Black Diamond. The indifference of our people caused the promoters to pass us by. The surveying corps some days ago moved their camp from the Levee pile to Hog creek near Macedonia, and are continuing the survey southward.

**CASTORIA.**

The first  
signature  
of  
Castoff  
Fletchers  
Is on  
wrappers.

**Drink Leads to Suicide.**

Weedon Logan, aged 25, son of ex-postmaster of Shelbyville, committed suicide by shooting. His mother was present. He was addicted to drink and had twice taken the gold cure.

A memorial service will be held in Cemetery Chapel at Lexington on May 1st, in honor of May Collins.

Speeches will be made by Mrs. Josephine Henry, of Versailles, and C. C. Moore and Moses Kaufman.

#### Running up Stairs.

Running up stairs is a very foolish and dangerous practice and should be shunned as a contagion. The persons who do it surely do not realize how they court disease and death. If they would consider what must be the effect of such violent exercise, they would really be frightened.

In the normal state, the heart beats seventy-six times a minute. We will assume that a man approaches a stairway with a regular heart. He ascends the steps as rapidly as possible. When he arrives at the top his heart is beating 120 times a minute. The change is forty-four pulsations a minute and the strain on the heart is severe. In the cases of those whose hearts are diseased, it may produce death, and it may cause previously sound hearts to become diseased. It deranges the whole constitution and seriously shocks the nervous system.

The person who runs up stairways will certainly become a physical wreck from the practice of it if followed for any length of time. Disease, with a multitude of painful symptoms, can not be escaped. It is the effect after the cause.

The proper way in which to ascend a stairway is deliberately and slowly. Avoid all the exertion possible, for the easiest way is the best. The object is to escape the strain on the heart.

#### No Gripping or Pains.

Arowsmith, Ill., Jan. 21, 1897.

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#### Beware of Ointment That Contains Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheever & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheever & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best. ff

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